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Essential air service at

LARAMIE, WYOMING RIVERTON, WYOMING ROCK SPRINGS, WYOMING WORLAND, WYOMING

under 49 U.S.C. 41731 et seq.

Docket OST-1997-2958 Docket OST-2003-14536 Docket OST-1997-2959 Docket OST-1997-2981

Notice of Extension

This serves as notice to the public of the action described below, taken by the Department official indicated. (No additional confirming order will be issued in this matter.)

By Order 2004-2-9, served February 12, 2004, the Department requested proposals from air carriers interested in providing essential air service at Laramie, Riverton, Rock Springs, and Worland, Wyoming. These proposals were due within 30 days after the date of service of Order 2004-2-9, *i.e.*, by March 15, 2004.

We have received a request from Great Lakes Aviation, Ltd., for a seven-day extension of this due date. In support of its request, Great Lakes Aviation states that it had not received an original copy of Order 2004-2-9 and hence has not had adequate time to develop proposals, and affirms that it will deliver to the Department of Transportation its proposals on or before the expiration of the seven-day extension.

We find Great Lakes Aviation's request to be reasonable; therefore, we will grant all potentially interested applicants seven additional days, until March 22, 2004, to submit service proposals for Laramie, Riverton, Rock Springs, and Worland.

This action is taken under authority assigned by 14 CFR 385.12(k)(1), and is effective immediately.

Action taken by: Randall D. Bennett, Director

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